DDOT Extends All Temporary Permits for Restaurant Pick Up Drop Off Zones to July 3
Restaurant Owners Must Continue to Apply Through ANCs and Others

The District Department of Transportation (DDOT) has extended all temporary permits for Restaurant Pick Up Drop Off (PUDO) Zones through Friday, July 3, 2020. This permit allows residents and commercial drivers easier access to restaurants and eateries still offering delivery or carry out service during Mayor Bowser's declared public health emergency, which has been extended to Monday, June 8, 2020.

"DDOT continues to be supportive of our restaurants' need to serve our communities while practicing safe distancing," said DDOT Director Jeff Marootian. "This is why we have extended the PUDO until July so they can carry on this activity as safely as possible."

Since March, DDOT installed signs at 20 locations across the District designating temporary Restaurant PUDO Zones. A full map of locations is available here and on coronavirus.dc.gov. These temporary Restaurant PUDO Zones will be in effect through Friday, July 3, 2020.

Restaurant owners must request a permit for a temporary Restaurant PUDO Zone only through their Business Improvement Districts (BIDs), Community Improvement Districts (CIDs), Advisory Neighborhood Commissions (ANCs), or Main Street Organizations. Individual restaurant owners cannot apply for this permit.

You can visit the following links for a powerpoint and a training video on how to apply.

DDOT has waived the fees for these permits, and requests for the permits may be submitted via DDOT's Transportation Online Permitting System (TOPS).
For more information, please visit ddot.dc.gov or call DDOT's Customer Service Clearinghouse at (202) 673-6813.

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